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SUBJECT: GROUP TRAVEL: PORT OF LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA

1. THE PORT OF LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA, IN ITS LETTER
TO SECRETARY DENT OF FEB. 11, HAS INFORMED COMMERCE OF
PLANS TO MAKE A GOOEWILL AND TRADE VISIT TO SOUTH AMERICA
IN MAY 1975. THE GROUP WILL BE COMPOSED OF THE FOLLOWING
PORT OFFICIALS: LLWELLYN BIXBY, JR., PRESIDENT, BOARD
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OF HARBOR COMMISSIONERS; T.J. THORLEY, GENERAL MANAGER;

DEAN J. PETERSEN, DIRECTOR OF TRADE DEVELOPMENT; LEE SELLERS, DIRECTOR OF PORT OPERATIONS; ELMAR BAXTER, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC RELATIONS; AND FRANCIS J. PARD, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD.

2. PURPOSE OF THIS TRIP WILL BE TO CREATE AWARENESS OF PORT OF LONG BEACH ON THE PART OF SOUTH AMERICAN SHIPPING AND IMPORT-EXPORT BUSINESSMEN AND OFFICIALS, STRESSING THE RELATIONSHIP OF THE PORT OF LONG BEACH TO THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA AND THE SOUTHWESTERN UNITED STATES MARKET.

3. THEY PLAN TO MAKE CALLS ON VARIOUS BUINESSMEN AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. IN ADDITION, THEY PLAN TO HOLD PORT RECEPTIONS FOR THE IMPORT-EXPORT BUSINESSMEN AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS DEALING IN FOREIGN TRADE. THEY ANTICIPATE 80 TO 100 PEOPLE WOULD ATTEND THESE RECEPTIONS.

4. PROPOSED ITINARAY: FRI. MAY 2 LV LOS ANGELES, 8:00 P.M., BN 921, SAT. MAY 3, AR RIO DE JANIERO 3:20 P.M. (HOTEL SHERATION RIO); SUN MAY 4 FREE DAY IN RIO; MON MAY 5, RECEPTION AT THE YACHT CLUB; TUE MAY 6, LV RIO 10:00 A.M., VARIG 100, AR PORTO ALEGRE 11:45 A.M.; WED MAY 7, PORTO ALEGRE-RECEPTION; THURS MAY 8, LV PORTO ALEGRE 11:30 A.M., BARIG 115; AR SAO PAULO 12:50 P.M.; FRI MAY 9, SAO PAULO-RECEPTION; SAT MAY 10, SAO PAULO, SUN MAY 11 LV SAO PAULO 9:35 A.M., LH 502, AR SANTIAGO 2:50 P.M.; MON MAY 12 SANTIAGO-RECEPTION; TUES MAY 13 LV SANTIAGO VIA LIMOUSINE, AR VALPARAISO, RECEPTION; WED MAY 14 LV VALPARAISO 11:15 A.M., AVIANCA 80, AR LIMA 12:40 P.M; THURS, FRI, SAT, MAY 15-17, LIMA-RECEPTION MAY 17; SUN MAY 18 LV LIMA 11:00 A.M., LG 499, AR GUAYAQUIL 12:45P.M; MON MAY 19, GUAYAQUIL-RECEPTIONS; TUE MAY 20 LV GUAYAQUIL 11:15 A.M., EC 46, AR BOGOTA 2:10 P.M.; WED MAY 21 BOGOTA-RECEPTION; THURS MAY 21 LV BOGOTA 11:30 A.M. BN 910 FOR US.

5. PORT OF LONG BEACH INTENDS DISPATCH INVITATIONS DIRECT FROM U.S. TO FOREIGN OFFICIALS AND BUSINESSMEN TO ATTEND THE RECEPTINS THEY PLAN. POSTS ARE REQUESTED TO PREPARE UNCLASSIFIED

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SUGGESTED LISTS OF APPROPRIATE CONTACTS AND SBUMIT SAME TO THE PORT OF LONG BEACH, ATTENDION MR. T.J. THORLEY, GENERAL MANAGER, P.O. BOX 570, LONG BEACH CAL. 90601, AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE DATE TO ALLOW SUFFICIENT ADVANCE TIME FOR MAILING FROM U.S. AND TO RENDER OTHER APPROPRIATE ASSISTANCE AS MAY BE REQUESTED AS POSTS' CAPABILITIES PERMIT.

6. THORLEY HAS BEEN INFORMED NO FOREIGN SERVICE POST IN
VALPARAISO. AMEMBASSY CHILE REQUESTED ALSO PROVIDE LIST
FOR VALPARAISO, IF POSSIBLE. INGERSOLL

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